

Codebook for “Incumbency Status and Candidate Responsiveness to Voters in Two-Stage Elections”

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- name
 - Name of the candidate
- stateabb
 - State abbreviation
- districtcode
 - District identifier. Two letter state abbreviation followed by the district number. If the contest was for a Senate seat, the letter “S” is placed between the state abbreviation and the number 10.
- cfscore
 - Bonica campaign finance ideal point for the candidate.
- generalID
 - Ideology of general election only voters
- generalIDcount
 - Number of people used to calculate the ideology of general election only voters for a contest
- primaryID
 - Ideology of primary election voters
- primaryIDcount
 - Number of people used to calculate the ideology of primary election voters for a contest
- senate
 - 1 = Senate contest, 0 = House contest
- demd
 - 1 = Democratic candidate, 0 = Republican candidate
- incumbent
 - 1 = incumbent candidate, 0 = non-incumbent candidate
- openseat
 - 1 = open seat election, 0 = not an open seat election
- female
 - 1 = candidate is a woman, 0 = candidate is a man